

**Notice of Determination**

**To:**

Office of Planning and Research  
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**From:**

California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW)  
Region 4 Central  
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Fresno, California 93710  
Contact: Steve Hulbert  
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**Lead Agency**

Madera County Resource Management Agency  
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**SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21108**

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2010071036

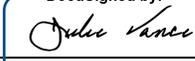
**Project Title:** State Route 145 Improvements for Austin Quarry Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement Notification No. 1600-2020-0077-R4)

**Project Location:** The Project which is subject to this Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement will occur within the California Department of Transportation right-of-way at four culverts along State Route 145 between post mile 24.32 and post mile 25.25, east of the city of Madera in Madera County.

**Project Description:** The Project involves the replacement of three existing culverts, and the extension of one existing culvert as part of a larger roadway widening project facilitating ingress/egress to and from the Austin Quarry facility from State Route 145.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as [ the lead agency /  a responsible agency] approved the above-described Project on 12-14-2020 and made the following determinations regarding the above described Project:

1. The Project  will /  will not have a significant effect on the environment (This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a responsible agency).
  2.  An environmental impact report /  A negative declaration was prepared by the lead agency for the project.
  3. Additional mitigation measures  were /  were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
  4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
  5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
  6. Findings  were not made/  were made by CDFW pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21081(a).
  7. Compliance with the environmental filing fee requirement at Fish and Game Code § 711.4 (check one):  
 Payment is submitted with this notice  
 A copy of a receipt showing prior payment was submitted to CDFW.
- Responsible Agency statement: The final EIR prepared by the lead agency for the Project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the lead agency. CDFW's administrative record of proceedings is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature:  Date: 12/14/2020  
Julie A. Vance, Regional Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_